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Attorney Docket No. GJE-6941

Dear Sir:

Attached is a true copy of a Communication Regarding Petition to File Application Without Signature of Joint Inventor dated October 18, 2005, Declaration and Power of Attorney form signed by co-inventor James, and a copy of applicant's returned postcard stamped by the PTO.

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APPLICANTS: Christopher Robin Lowe et al.

SUBMISSION TO PTO:

1. Communication further to Petition to File Application
Without Signature of Joint Inventor
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form

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COMMUNICATION REGARDING PETITION TO FILE APPLICATION WITHOUT
SIGNATURE OF JOINT INVENTOR

Sir:

This Transmittal Letter is further in response to a Petition to File Application Without Signature of Joint Inventor that was submitted to the U.S. Patent Office on July 22, 2005 in response to a Notification of Missing Requirements in the above-referenced patent application.

The non-signing inventor has now provided an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form which is attached herewith.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as required by 37 CFR 1.17(h) to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

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